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FOLLOWING ARE EMBASSY DRAFT CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE CCP FOR MEXICO FOR 1977. DRAFTS ARE FOR SECTION I, OVERVIEW, AND FOR 10 CAMPAIGN WORKSHEETS.

SECTION I OVERVIEW

DEVELOPMENTS IN THE MEXICAN ECONOMY IN 1976 AND 1977 DEPEND HEAVILY ON WHAT HAPPENS IN THE U.S. AND WORLD ECONOMIES. ASSUMING THAT THE U.S. ECONOMY BEGINS TO RECOVER IN THE SECOND HALF OF 1975, AND WORLD OIL PRICES REMAIN STABLE OR INCREASE, MEXICO'S ECONOMIC FUTURE IS BRIGHT. INCREASINGLY LARGE EXPORTS OF CRUDE OIL AND REFINED PRODUCTS SHOULD ENABLE MEXICO TO REDUCE ITS CURRENT ACCOUNT DEFICIT WHILE INCREASING THE IMPORTS NECESSARY TO MAINTAIN A REASONABLY HIGH REAL GROWTH RATE. REAL GROWTH RATES OF ABOUT 6 PER-CENT SHOULD BE FEASIBLE IN THIS SCENARIO. IF BUDGET EXPENDITURES ARE KEPT UNDER STRICT CONTROL IN 1975, INFLATIONARY PRESSURES SHOULD DECLINE, AND PRICE INCREASES IN 1976 AND 1977 MAY BE KEPT BELOW 10 PERCENT. IF MEXICO'S INCREASED ATTENTION TO AGRICULTURE PAYS OFF, THE TRADE DEFICIT IN FOODSTUFFS MAY DECLINE LEAVING MORE MONEY FOR UNCLASSIFIED

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IMPORTS OF CAPITAL GOODS.

SHOULD THE U.S. ECONOMY ENTER INTO A PERIOD OF PROLONGED STAGNATION, MEXICO WILL BE FACED WITH DIFFICULT ECONOMIC POLICY DECISIONS. STAGNANT EARNINGS FROM EXPORTS OF GOODS AND TOURISM MAY INDUCE MEXICAN OFFICIALS TO TAKE STEPS TO REDUCE IMPORTS AND THE RATE OF GROWTH. HOWEVER, IN LIGHT OF THE PRESENT ADMINISTRATION'S DETERMINATION TO MAINTAIN A REAL RATE OF GROWTH IN EXCESS OF THE RATE OF POPULATION GROWTH (3.5), IT IS LIKELY THAT MEXICO WOULD INCREASE ITS EXTERNAL BORROWING AND MAINTAIN A REASONABLY HIGH RATE OF GROWTH OF IMPORTS.

ON BALANCE, THE PROSPECTS FOR CONTINUED GROWTH OF MEXICO'S ECONOMY AND ITS DEMAND FOR IMPORTS APPEAR GOOD EVEN IN LIGHT OF A CONTINUED SLOWDOWN IN AGGREGATE WORLD OUTPUT.

CAMPAIGN WORKSHEET #1 FY77: FOOD PROCESSING AND PACKAGING EQUIPMENT

CAMPAIGN MANAGER: ROBERT A. KOHN

CAMPAIGN STATEMENT: THIS PRODUCT CATEGORY IS ONE OF THE TARGET INDUSTRIES SCHEDULED FOR INTENSIVE PROMOTION DURING FY 1977. IT IS ONE OF MEXICO'S MOST IMPORTANT INDUSTRIES AND ONE LARGELY DOMINATED BY U.S. FIRMS.

PROJECT OBJECTIVES:

FOOD PROCESSING EXHIBITION AT TRADE CENTER, MARCH 15-18, 1977
30 PARTICIPANTS IN GROUP TRAVEL TO FOOD & DAIRY EXPO, OCTOBER 1976
50 PARTICIPANTS IN GROUP TRAVEL TO PMMI PACK EXPO, OCTOBER 1976
30 PARTICIPANTS IN GROUP TRAVEL TO NATIONAL EXPOSITION

FOR FOOD PROCESSORS, FEBRUARY 1977
15 NEW U.S. FIRMS, INTRODUCED TO MEXICAN MARKET
10 AGENCY AGREEMENTS SIGNED

30 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES

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BY DECEMBER 31:

- 1. UP-DATE RESEARCH FOR US TRADE CENTER EXHIBITION
- 2. ORGANIZE, WITH ASSISTANCE MEXICAN PACKAGING INSTITUTE, MEXICAN BUYERS GROUP TO VISIT PMMI PACK EXPO IN CHICAGO (OCTOBER 25-29)
- 3. ORGANIZE MEXICAN BUYERS GROUP TO FOOD & DAIRY EXPO IN ATLANTIC CITY (OCTOBER 10-14)
- 4. WORK WITH US TRAVEL SERVICE TO ARRANGE GROUP TRAVEL

FOR BOTH BUYER GROUPS.

- 5. PLACE FIRST PRESS RELEASE ON USTC EXHIBITION, WITH USIS ASSISTANCE
- $6.\ MAKE$ PERSONAL VISITS TO STIMULATE INTEREST IN FOREIGN BUYER SHOWS

BY MARCH 31:

- 1. MAKE KEY-MAN CALLS FOR EXHIBITION, DEVELOPING TRADE OPPORTUNITIES WHEREVER POSSIBLE
- 2. HOLD US TRADE CENTER EXHIBITION, VISITING ALL EXHIBITORS REGULARLY, NOTING THEIR REACTIONS AND ASSISTING WHEN NEEDED
- 3. MAN TRADE OPPORTUNITY BOOTH
- 4. ISSUE PRESS RELEASE, SECON (USIS)
- 5. PREPARE REPORT ON USTC SHOW
- 6. ORGANIZE MEXICAN BUYERS GROUP TO VISIT NATIONAL EXPOSITION FOR FOOD PROCESSORS IN NEW ORLEANS (FEBRUARY
- 7. WORK WITH US TRAVEL SERVICE TO ARRANGE GROUP TRAVEL

BY JUNE 30:

- 1. DEVELOP AND REPORT ADDITIONAL TRADE OPPORTUNITIES
- 2. FOLLOW-UP WITH MEXICANS WHO ATTEND EXHIBITIONS IN US

BY SEPTEMBER 30:

- 1. VISIT TRADE IN INTERIOR, IF FUDNS ALLOW, FOR DEVELOPMENT ADDITIONAL TRADE OPPORTUNITIES
- 2. UP-DATE LIST OF KEY PROSPECTIVE BUYERS
- 3. REVIEW ALL PUBLISHED SOURCES OF INFORMATION
- 4. REPORT ON ANY BARRIERS TO US EXPORTS

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PERSONNEL PERSON DAYS

1 FSO 40

1 FSL CLERICAL 20

FINANCIAL US DOLLARS

TRAVEL 300

REPRESENTATION 100 PRINTING AND MAILING 200

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CAMPAIGN WORKSHEET #2 FY 77: WATER PURIFICATION AND POLLUTION CONTROL

CAMPAIGN MANAGER: ROBERT A. KOHN

CAMPAIGN STATEMENT: THIS PRODUCT CATEGORY IS ONE OF THE TARGET INDUSTRIES SCHEDULED FOR INTENSIVE PROMOTION DURING FY 1977. MEXICO IS PAYING EVER-INCREASING INTEREST TO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPROVEMENT AND LARGE AMOUNTS OF CAPITAL WILL BE SPENT OVER NEXT DECADE IN ANTI-POLLUTION DEVISES.

PROJECT OBJECTIVES:

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPROVEMENT EXHIBITION AT TRADE CENTER, JUNE 20-24, 1977
30 PARTICIPANTS IN GROUP TRAVEL TO APPROPRIATE EXHIBITION IN UNITED STATES TO BE SELECTED
15 NEW U.S. FIRMS, INTRODUCED TO MEXICAN MARKET
10 AGENCY AGREEMENTS SIGNED
30 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES

ACTIONS:

BY DECEMBER 31:

- 1. UP-DATE RESEARCH FOR US TRADE CENTER EXHIBITION
- 2. LOCATE APPROPRIATE EXHIBITION IN THE UNITED STATES TO WHICH MEXICAN BUYER GROUP COULD BE ATTRACTED
- 3. WORK WITH US TRAVEL SERVICE TO ARRANGE GROUP TRAVEL FOR BUYER GROUP

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BY MARCH 31:

- 1. PLACE FIRST PRESS RELEASE ON USTC EXHIBITION (USIS)
- 2. MAKE PERSONAL VISITS TO STIMULATE INTEREST IN FOREIGN
- 3. ORGANIZE MEXICAN BUYER GROUP TO APPROPRIATE EXHIBITION IN US
- 4. VISIT TRADE IN INTERIOR, EXPECIALLY CITIES WITH SERIOUS POLLUTION PROBLEMS, TO STIMULATE INTEREST IN USTC EXHIBITION AND DEVELOP ADDITIONAL TRADE OPPORTUNITIES

BY JUNE 30:

- 1. ISSUE SECOND PRESS RELEASE (USIS)
- 2. MAKE KEY-MAN CALLS FOR USTC EXHIBITION, DEVELOPING TRADE OPPORTUNITIES WHEREVER POSSIBLE
- 3. HOLD USTC EXHIBITION, VISITING ALL EXHIBITORS REGULARLY, NOTING THEIR REACTIONS AND ASSISTING WHEN NEEDED
- 4. MAN TRADE OPPORTUNITY BOOTH
- 5. PREPARE REPORT ON USTC SHOW

BY SEPTEMBER 30:

- 1. DEVELOP AND REPORT ADDITIONAL TRADE OPPORTUNITIES
- 2. FOLLOW-UP WITH MEXICANS WHO ATTEND EXHIBITION IN US
- 3. REVIEW ALL PUBLISHED SHOURCES OF INFORMATION
- 4. REPORT ON ANY BARRIERS TO US EXPORTS

MISSION RESOURCES REQUIRED:

PERSONNEL PERSON DAYS

1 FSO 40

1 FSL CLERICAL 20

FINANCIAL US DOLLARS

TRAVEL 500

REPRESENTATION 100

PRINTING AND MAILING 200

800

CAMPAIGN WORKSHEET #3 FY 77: AVIONCIS AND AVIATION GROUND SUPPORT EQUIPMENT

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CAMPAIGN MANAGER: EDMUND M. PARSONS

CAMPAIGN STATEMENT: THIS PRODUCT CATEGORY WAS THE SUBJECT OF A TECHNICAL SEMINAR IN FY 1975 AND A PLANNED SPECIALIZED EXHIBITION IN FY 1976. THIS, THE THIRD YEAR OF THE PROJECT, WILL CONTINUE THE PROMOTIONAL EMPHASIS AND CONSOLIDATE

MARKET PENETRATION.

ACTIONS

BY DECEMBER 31:

1. CONTACT NEW MEXICAN GOVERNMENT AERONATUIC OFFICIALS TO DETERMINE INTEREST IN NEW TECHNICAL SEMINAR. (1976 WILL SEE A CHANGE IN GOVERNMENT).

2. CONTACT U.S. MANUFACTURERS OF AVIONIC AND AVIATION GROUND SUPPORT EQUIPMENT CONCERNING PROJECTED SEMINAR. 3. EVALUATE U.S. TRADE SHOWS FOR POSSIBLE VISIT BY MEXICAN FOREIGN BUYER GROUP.

BY MARCH 31:

4. MOUNT TECHNICAL SEMINAR AT TRADE CENTER.

BY JUNE 30:

- 5. ASSEMBLE FOREIGN BUYERS GROUP VISIT TO U.S.
- 6. REVIEW AND UPDATE EARLY WARNING MAJOR PROJECT REPORTS.

RESOURCES:

PERSONNEL PERSON DAYS

75 FSO/S

FSL CLERICAL 50 FSL PROFESSIONAL

US DOLLARS

FINANCIAL TRAVEL

REPRESENTATION 100 PRINTING & MAILING 75 CONTRACT SERVICES

CAMPAIGN WORKSHEET #4, FY77: AGRICULTURAL EQUIPMENT-SEED ENERGIZING MACHINERY AND

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DAIRY EQUIPMENT

CAMPAIGN MANAGER: NEWELL K. JUDKINGS

CAMPAIGN STATEMENT: ALTHOUGH THIS IS NOT A TARGET INDUSTRY IT INVOLVES AN ACTIVITY RECEIVING INCREASING ATTENTION AS MEXICO STRAINS TO BUILD ITS AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTIVITY. DURING THE INITIAL YEAR (FY 1977) THIS PROJECT WILL DEVELOP AND BEGIN TO UTILIZE THE MARKETING INFORMATION NEEDED FOR MORE EFFECTIVE AND AGGRESIVE PROMOTION IN FY 1978 AND 1979.

ACTIONS:

BY DECEMBER 31:

- 1. IDENTIFY ANY TRADE BARRIERS IMPEDING SALES AND PROPOSE ANTI-BARRIER MEASURES.
- 2. VISIT AGRICULTURAL PROJECTS WHERE THE USE OF MODERN MACHINERY HAS BEEN IMPLEMENTED TO INSPECT THE RESULTS AND NOTE ADVANTAGES.
- 3. IDENTIFY APPROPRIATE U.S. AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY EXHIBITS, PLAN SUPPORT, AND REQUEST PERTINENT MATERIALS. (POSSIBLE: COLORADO PURE SEED SHOW, CALIFORNIA FARM EQUIPMENT SHOW, ELECTRIC POWER FARM EQUIPMENT SHOW, NATIONAL FARM MACHINERY SHOW).

BY MARCH 31:

- 1. COORDINATE WITH AGRICULTURE OFFICERS THE PURSUIT OF TRADE OPPORTUNITIES AMONG PROSPECTIVE PURCHASERS.
- 2. SUBMIT TWNETY TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.
- 3. ORGANIZE A GROUP TRAVEL PROGRAM TO A U.S. MACHINERY EXHIBIT OR TO A MODERN DAIRY OPERATION IN TEXAS. PUBLICIZE IN PRESS OR NEWSLETTER. (SEE 4 ABOVE)

BY JUNE 30:

- 1. CHECK LIST OF WORLD BANK AND OTHER LENDING INSTITUTIONS FOR PROSPECTIVE LEADS TO PURCHASERS.
- 2. CONSULT LOCAL FAO OFFICE TO DETERMINE EQUIPMENT NEEDS FOR THEIR PROGRAMS, PARTICULARLY IN DAIRY FIELD.
- 3. COORDINATE WITH AGRICULTURE OFFICERS OF EMBASSY POSSIBLE DISPLAY OF U.S. EQUIPMENT IN CONNECTION WITH MEXICAN LIVESTOCK SHOW.

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- 4. ASSIST THREE NEW-TO-MARKET FIRMS.
- 5. SUBMIT TEN TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.

BY SEPTEMBER 30:

- 1. DEVELOP LIST OF PROSPECTIVE CLIENTS TO WHOM TELEPHONE AND PERSONAL CALLS MAY BE MADE ON A REGULAR BASIS TO SURVEY EQUIPMENT NEEDS AND TO CIRCULATE INFORMATION ON NEW MACHINERY, MATERIALS AND TECHNIQUES.
- 2. SUBMIT TEN NEW TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.
- 3. ASSIST THREE NEW-TO-MARKET FIRMS.
- 4. PLACE ONE ARTICLE IN THE PRESS OR THE EMBASSY NEWSLETTER REGARDING ONE NEW MACHINE, SYSTEM OR MATERIAL.
- 5. CONSULT WITH TRADE CENTER OFFICERS REGARDING ADVISIBILITY OF SCHEDULING A SHOW TO INCLUDE THESE INDUSTRY SUBCATEGORIES.

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MISSION RESOURCES REQUIRED:

PERSONNEL PERSON DAYS

130 FSO/R/GS FSL PROFESSIONAL 19 FSL CLERICAL 130

FINANCIAL U.S. DOLLARS TRAVEL 300

REPRESENTATION 100 PRINTING AND MAILING 150 CONTRACT SERVICES 600

1150

CAMPAIGN WORKSHEET #5, FY77: MINING AND PETROLEUM EQUIPMENT

CAMPAIGN MANAGER: RICHARD J. STEMPLE

CAMPAIGN STATEMENT: THE PROMOTION OF MINING AND PETROLEUM EOUIPMENT CONTINUES TO BE OF PRIMARY IMPORTANCE IN MEXICO DUE TO UPSURGE IN MINING ACTIVITY AND NEW PETROLEUM DEVELOP-MENT, BOTH ON AND OFFSHORE. (AIRGRAM A-42).

BY DECEMBER 31:

1. IDENTIFY MAJOR U.S. EXHIBITIONS FOR POSSIBLE PROMOTION OF FOREIGN TRAVEL GROUPS TO U.S. (POSSIBILITIES ARE SOC. PETROLEUM ENGINEERS AIME OFFSHORE TECHNOLOGY UNCLASSIFIED

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CONFERENCE, LOUISIANA GULF COAST OIL EXPOSITION, ETC.)

- 2. CONTACT EXHIBITIONS DIRECTLY TO DETERMINE IF SUBJECTS
- COVERED ARE OF INTEREST TO POSSIBLE MEXICAN BUYERS AND
- IF NECESSARY FACILITIES ARE AVAILABLE.
- 3. WORK WITH US TRAVEL SERVICE, ASSOCIATIONS, CHAMBERS.
- 03.3/, ETC. TO PROMOTE PARTICIPATION IN U.S. TRAVEL
- GROUP PROGRAM.
- 4. ORGANIZE VISITS BY KEY U.S. SUPPLIERS TO MAJOR PROJECT SITES
- 5. IDENTIFY NEW AREAS OF DEVELOPMENT IN MEXICAN MINERALS AND REPORT BY AIRGRAM.

BY MARCH 31:

- 1. DEVELOP AND ORGANIZE TECHNICAL SEMINAR ON SOME ASPECT OF MINERAL DEVELOPMENT.
- 2. ENCOURAGE U.S. ATTENDANCE AT MEXICAN CONVENTION OF MINING AND PETROLEUM ENGINEERS.
- 3. PREPARE INDUSTRIAL OUTLOOK REPORT ON PETROLEUM (CERP).
- 4. ORGANIZE MEXICAN ATTENDANCE AT U.S. EXHIBITION.
- 5. SCHEDULE REPRESENTATIONAL FUNCTION FOR THOSE WHO ATTENDED U.S. EXHIBITION.
- 6. MAKE FOLLOWUP REPORT ON REACTIONS OF ATTENDEES.

BY JUNE 30:

- 1. DEVELOP AND REPORT 15 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.
- 2. DEVELOP AND SUBMIT MARKET SURVEY ON MINING AND PETROLEUM EQUIPMENT.

BY SEPTEMBER 30:

- 1. PREPARE INDUSTRIAL OUTLOOK REPORT ON MINERALS (CERP).
- 2. DEVELOP AND REPORT 10 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.

PERSONNEL PERSON DAYS

100 FSO

FSL PROFESSION 60 FSL CLERICAL 100

U.S. DOLLARS FINANCIAL

TRAVEL REPRESENTATION 300 PRINTING AND MAILING

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CAMPAIGN WORK SHEET #6, FY77: FORESTRY PRODUCTS AND WOOD WORKING EQUIPMENT

CAMPAIGN MANAGER: J. GUY GWYNNE

CAMPAIGN STATEMENT: THIS PRODUCT CATEGORY IS ONE OF THE SIX TARGET INDUSTRIES SCHEDULED FOR INTENSIVE PROMOTION DURING FY 1977. THE MEXICAN FORESTRY PRODUCTS AND WOODWORKING INDUSTRY IS PRESENTLY REALIZING ONLY A SMALL PART OF ITS POTENTIAL. WITHIN THE NEXT FEW YEARS, THIS INDUSTRY SHOULD PROGRESS FROM A RELATIVELY MINOR ONE TO A MAJOR COMPONENT OF THE MEXICAN ECONOMY. MOST OR ALL OF THE EQUIPMENT FOR THIS MAJOR INDUSTRIALIZATION ENTERPRISE COULD COME FROM THE UNITED STATES.

PROJECT OBJECTIVES:

50 NEW U.S. FIRMS INTRODUCED TO THE MEXICAN MARKET
50 AGENCY AGREEMENTS SIGNED
50 MILLION DOLLARS INCREMENTAL U.S. EXPORTS
50 ADDITIONAL U.S. FIRMS EXHIBITING PRODUCTS IN MEXICO
300 ADDITIONAL REPRESENTATIVES OF MEXICAN FIRMS AND
SEMI-AUTONOMOUS GOVERNMENT AGENCIES EXPOSED TO
DEMONSTRATION OF U.S. PRODUCTS
100 NEW SALES LEADS
55 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES
25 ARTICLES PUBLISHED IN MEDIA
40 MEXICAN BUYERS TO TWO FORESTRY PRODUCTS AND WOODWORKING INDUSTRY TRADE FAIRS IN THE UNITED STATES.

ACTIONS:

BY DECEMBER 31:

1. COORDINATE WITH USTC MEXICO CITY, USIS MEXICO CITY, FOREST INDUSTRY AND WOODWORKING INDUSTRY TRADE ORGANIZATIONS AND AMERICAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEXICO CITY, FOR COMBINED APPROACH TO PROMOTION OF U.S. FORESTRY PRODUCTS AND WOODWORKING EQUIPMENT FOR FY 1977.

2. DEVELOP AND REPORT 10 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES. UNCLASSIFIED

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- 3. ISSUE THREE ARTICLES FOR MEXICO CITY NEWSPAPERS ON U.S. (HEAVYWEIGHT AND LIGHTWEIGHT) FORESTRY PRODUCTS AND WOODWORKING EQUIPMENT. (USIS)
- 4. COMMISSION MARKET STUDY: FORESTRY PRODUCTS AND WOOD-WORKING INSTRUMENTS MARKET IN MEXICO.
- 5. BEGIN RESEARCH AND PROMOTION OF MCTC SHOW: FOREST INDUSTRIES (APRIL 19-22).

BY MARCH 31:

- 1. FINISH KEY MAN CALLS FOR MCTC EXHIBITION.
- 2. DEVELOP AND REPORT 15 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.
- 3. ISSUE FIVE PRESS RELEASES ON MCTC SHOW: FORESTRY PRODUCTS AND WOODWORKING EQUIPMENT (USIS).

4. SPONSOR LECTURE SERIES AT MCTC BY U.S. AUTHORITIES ON FORESTRY PRODUCTS, SCIENCE, AND INDUSTRY.
5. COORDINATE SPONSORSHIP OF THIS WITH MC FORESTRY PRODUCTS INDUSTRY AND WOODWORKING INDUSTRY TRADE ASSOCIATION AND MCTC.

BY JUNE 30:

- 1. MOUNT MCTC SHOW (APRIL 19-22) OF FORESTRY INDUSTRIES PRODUCTS.
- 2. MAN TRADE OPPORTUNITIES BOOTH DURING EXPOSITION.
- 3. REPORT ON MCTC SHOW ON FORESTRY PRODUCTS AND WOODWORKING EQUIPMENT.
- 4. DEVELOP AND REPORT 15 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.
- 5. HOLD RECEPTION AT MCTC FOR KEY MEXICAN BUYERS ON FIRST DAY OF TC SHOW
- 6. HOLD PRESS CONFERENCE OF 7 MEXICO CITY NEWSPAPERS AND LOCAL TELEVISION STATIONS, STRESSING "WAVE OF FUTURE" NATURE OF SHOW, FIRST NIGHT (MCTC, USIS, TRADE ASSOCIATION MEMBERS.)
- 7. ORGANIZE VISIT OF 20 MEXICAN BUYERS TO U.S. FORESTRY PRODUCTS AND WOODWORKING EQUIPMENT TRADE FAIR IN ATLANTA (JUNE 6-8).
- $8.\ SUBMIT$ REPORT: MARKET FOR FORESTRY PRODUCTS AND WOODWORKING EQUIPMENT IN MEXICO.

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9. ISSUE THREE INSTITUTIONAL AND PRODUCT PRESS RELEASES (USIS).

BY SEPT 30:

- 1. MOUNT OFFSITE TC SHOW IN CIUDAD JUAREZ WITH 15 EXHIBITORS (USTC, AMCONGEN C.JUAREZ).
- 2. DEVELOP AND REPORT 15 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.
- 3. ISSUE 10 INSTITUTIONAL AND PRODUCT PRESS RELEASES, BEFORE AND AFTER OFFSITE TC SHOW (USIS).

MISSION RESOURCES REQUIRED

PERSONNEL PERSON DAYS

FSO/R/GS 200 FSL PROFESSIONAL 200 FSL CLERICAL 300

FINANCIAL U.S. DOLLARS

TRAVEL 1,500

REPRESENTATION 200 PRINTING AND MAILING 500 CONTRACT SERVICES 0

CAMPAING WORK SHEET 7, FY 77: MEDICAL AND LABORATORY EQUIPMENT.

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CAMPAIGN MANAGER: J. GUY GWYNNE
CAMPAIGN STATEMENT: THIS PRODUCT CATEGORY IS ONE OF THE
SIX INDUSTRIES SCHEDULED FOR INTENSIVE PROMOTION DURING
FY 1977. MEXICO RANKS FIFTH IN THE WORLD AS A POTENTIAL
MARKET FOR TOTAL U.S. EXPORTS. MEXICO IS A LARGE BUYER
OF MEDICAL AND LABORATORY EQUIPMENT FROM THE U.S. WHILE
THERE IS SOME DOMESTIC MANUFACTURE OF LOW-TO-MEDIUM-LEVEL
TECHNOLOGY MEDICAL AND LABORATORY EQUIPMENT, MEXICO WILL
CONTINUE TO IMPORT BOTH LOW-AND-HIGH-TECHNOLOGY EQUIPMENT
FROM THE U.S.

PROJECT OBJECTIVES:

50 NEW U.S. FIRMS INTRODUCED TO THE MEXICAN MARKET.

50 AGENCY AGREEMENTS SIGNED.

5 MILLION DOLLARS INCREMENTAL U.S. EXPORTS.

40 U.S. SUBSIDIDARY FIRMS EXHIBITING PRODJCTS IN MEXICO.

500 ADDITIONAL REPRESENTATIVES OF MEXICAN FIRMS

EXPOSED TO DEMONSTRATIONS OF U.S. PRODUCTS.

300 NEW SALES LEADS.

60 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES

5 ARTICLES PUBLISHED IN MEDIA.

ACTIONS:

BY DEC 31:

- 1. COORDINATE WITH USTC MEXICO CITY, USIS MEXICO CITY, INSTRUMENT SOCIETY OF AMERICA (MEXICO CITY CHAPTER), AND AMERICAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEXICO CITY, FOR COMBINED APPROACH TO PROMOTION OF U.S. MEDICAL AND LABORATORY EQUIPMENT FOR FY 1977.
- 2. USE LEADER GRANT PROGRAM TO BRING KEY MEXICAN BUYER FROM MEXICAN SEMI-AUTONOMOUS GOVERNMENT AGENCIES TO U.S.
- 3. DEVELOP 20 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.
- 4. ISSUE THREE ARTICLES TO MEXICO CITY NEWSPAPERS ON U.S. MEDICAL AND LABORTATORY EQUIPMENT (USIS).

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- 5. CONTINUE SUPPORT AND FOLLOW-UP ACTIVITY FOR LABORATORY INSTRUMENT SHOW AT MEXICO CITY TRADE CENTER (SEPT 7-10, 1976).
- 6. REPORT ON LABORATORY INSTRUMENT SHOW.
- 7. MOUNT COMPUTERIZEC CARDIAC EQUIPMENT JEEP (OCTOBER 21-23, 1976) (MCTC, USDOC).
- 8. DEVELOP AND REPORT 15 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.
- 9. ISSUE FOUR INSTITUTIONAL AND PRODUCT PRESS RELEASES (USIS).

BY MARCH 31:

- 1. MOUNT MEXICO CITY TRADE CENTER SHOW OF MEDICAL EQUIPMENT (JAN 17-21, 1977).
- 2. MAKE KEY MAN CALLS FOR EXPOSITION.
- 3. MAN TRADE OPPORTUNITY BOOTHDURING EXHIBITION.
- 4. DEVELOP AND REPORT 15 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.
- 5. HOLD RECEPTION AT MCTC FOR KEY MEXICAN BUYERS ON FIRST DAY OF TRADE CENTER SHOW.
- 6. REPORT ON MCTC SHOW ON MEDICAL EQUIPMENT.
- 7. ORGANIZE UNIVERSITY STUDENT NIGHT, EVENING AFTER TRADE CENTER MEDICAL EQUIPMENT SHOW, FOR STUDENTS OF MEXICO

CITY MEDICAL SCHOOLS.

8. ISSUE FIVE PRESS RELEASES ON SPECIAL STUDENT NIGHT (USIS).

9. SPONSOR LECTURE BY FOUR U.S. AUTHORITIES ON MECICAL INSTRUMENTS (INSTRUMENT SOCIETY OF AMERICA MEXICO CITY)

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- 1. SUBMIT CERP: ELECTRONIC PRODUCTS AND INSTRUMENTATION (INCLUDES MEDICAL AND LABORATORY INSTRUMENTATION).
- 2. DEVELOP AND REPORT 15 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.
- 3. ORGANIZE ONE BETWEEN-SHOW PROMOTION AT MCTC.
- 4. ISSUE THREE INSTITUTIONAL AND PRODUCT PRESS RELEASES (USIS).

BY SEPT 30:

- 1. DEVELOP AND SUBMIT MARKET SURVEY: MEDICAL EQUIPMENT.
- 2. (SEPT 6-8,1977) MOUNT COMPUTERIZED DIAGNOSTIC MEDICAL EQUIPMENT JEEP AT MEXICO CITY TRADE CENTER.

PERSONNEL PERSON HOURS

FSO/R/GS 150 FSL PROFESSIONAL 50 FSL CLERICAL 75

FINANCIAL U.S. DOLLARS

CAMPAIGN 8, FY 77: BUSINESS EQUIPMENT

CAMPAIGN MANAGER: DONALD J PLANTY

CAMPAIGN STATEMENT: THIS IS ONE, OF THE INDUSTRIES SCHEDULED FOR PRIMARY PROMOTION DURING 1977. THE SCHEDULE IS PROGRAMMED TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE TRADE CENTER MAJOR EXHIBITION DURING THE SAME FISCAL YEAR. THIS CAMPAIGN WILL DRAW ON

GLOBAL MARKET RESEARCH UNDERTAKEN IN 1975 (FEB-MAY) FOR GUIDANCE AS TO MARKETING TECHNIQUES.

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PROJECT OBJECTIVES:

BUSINESS EQUIPMENT AND SYSTEMS EXHIBITION AT TC.
25 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES
15 NEW U.S. FIRMS INTRODUCED TO THE MEXICAN MARKET
15 AGENCY AGREEMENTS SIGNED
10 NEWS RELEASES PUBLISHED IN TRADE JOURNALS AND

DAILY PRESS

2 MILLION DOLLARS INCREMENTAL SALES

50 PARTICIPANTS IN GROUP TRAVEL PROGRAM TO U.S. EXHIBITIONS.

BY DEC 31:

- 1. STUDY AND CHOOSE FROM SCHEDULED U.S. EXHIBITIONS LIST APPROPRIATE SHOW TO PUBLICIZE FOR CURRENT FISCAL YEAR. (AT PRESENT ANNUAL SHOWS SUCH AS BUSINESS SYSTEMS PRODUCT WORLD, NATIONAL AUTOMATIC MERCHANDISING ASSOCIATION THE TULSA BUSINESS EQUIPMENT SHOW, WILL BE STUDIED).
- 2. WORK WITH CHAMBERS AND ASSOCIATIONS TO DRAW UP PROGRAM FOR FOREIGN VISITORS TO 7.S. EXHIBITIONS.
- 3. PLACE PRESS RELEASES ON SCHEDULED U.S. EXHIBITIONS, AND PUBLICIZE IN HAMBERS AND ASSOCIATIONS.

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4. WORK WITH U.S. TRAVEL SERVICE IN ORGANIZING FOREIGN TRAVEL GROUP, SELECTING TRAVEL AGENCY TO HANDLE DETAILS.

BY MARCH 31:

- 1. UPDATE RESEARCH UNDERTAKEN IN 1975 IN PREPARATION FOR TRADE SHOW IN AUGUST, 1977.
- 2. VISIT MAJOR PURCHASERS OF ADVANCED BUSINESS EQUIPMENT AND SYSTEMS, INCLUDING LOCAL REPRESENTATIVES OF FOREIGN MANUFACTURERS.
- 3. PREPARE 5 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.

BY JUNE 30:

- 1. DEVELOP AND REPORT 5 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES
- 2. CONTINUE VISITS TO MAJOR PURCHASERS OF ADVANCED BUSINESS EOUIPMENT & SYSTEMS.
- 3. STUDY AND REPORT ON ANY TRADE BARRIER'S TO U.S. EXPORTS OF ADVANCED BUSINESS EQUIPMENT & SYSTEMS.

BY SEPTEMBER 30:

- 1. PLACE PRESS RELEASES FOR USTC EXHIBITION IN AUGUST (USIS)
- 2. MAKE KEY MAN CALLS FOR USTC EXHIBITION.
- 3. PARTICIPATE IN USTC EXHIBITION, VISITING ALL EXHIBITORS, AND ASSISTING WHEN NECESSARY.
- $4.\ MAN$ TRADE OPPORTUNITY BOOTH, MAKING AT LEAST $10\ TRADE$ OPPORTUNITIES.
- 5. PREPARE REPORT ON EXHIBITION.

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PERSONNEL PERSON DAYS

FSO 50

FSL CLERICAL 25 FSL PROFESSIONAL 10

FINANCIAL U.S. DOLLARS

TRAVEL 300

REPRESENTATION 100

PRINTING AND MAILING 50

450

CAMPAIGN WORKSHEET #9, FY77: PLASTICS PRODUCTION EQUIPMENT

CAMPAIGN MANAGER: HAL RYERSON

CAMPAIGN STATEMENT: WHILE NOT ONE OF THE PRIMARY PROMOTIONS DURING 1977, THE PLASTICS INDUSTRY IN MEXICO IS VARIED AND SHOWING SUCH A DEGREE OF GROWTH THAT IT IS FELT OF SUFFICIENT IMPORTANCE TO PRESENT ANOTHER MAJOR EXHIBITION IN NOV/DEC 1976, FOLLOWING THE SUCCESSFUL SHOW OF FEBRUARY, 1975.

PROJECT OBJECTIVES:

PLASTICS PRODUCTION EQUIPMENT EXHIBITION AT TC.

30 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES

15 NEW U.S. FIRMS INTRODUCED TO MEXICAN MARKETS

15 AGENCY AGREEMENTS SIGNED

 $10~{\rm NEWS}$ RELEASES PUBLISHED IN DAILY PRESS AND TRADE

JOURNALS

3 MILLION DOLLARS INCREMENTAL SALES

 $30\ PARTICIPANTS$ IN U.S. GROUP TRAVEL PROGRAM TO U.S.

EXHIBITION.

BY DECEMBER 31:

(A MAJOR EXHIBITION IS SCHEDULED FOR THE TRADE CENTER FOR THE END OF NOVEMBER, 1976. UPDATING OF BASIC RESEARCH IS PRESUMED TO HAVE BEEN COMPLETED WELL BEFORE THIS PERIOD).

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- 1. CONTACT ROBERT T. KENWORTH, NATIONAL PLASTICS EXPOSITION, 866 UNITED NATIONS PLAZA, NEW YORK CITY, 10017, REGARDING NATIONAL PLASTICS EXPOSITION SCHEDULED FOR CHICAGO ON DECEMBER 6-10, 1976, TO DETERMINE IF IT IS OF SUFFICIENT INTEREST TO JUSTIFY A FOREIGN TRAVEL GROUP, AND THAT NECESSARY FACILITIES WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PROSPECTIVE PARTICIPANTS.
- 2. MEET WITH PERTINENT PLASTICS CHAMBERS, ASSOCIATIONS AND TRADE JOURNALS TO PUBLICIZE GROUP TRAVEL PROGRAM TO NATIONAL PLASTICS EXPOSITION IN CHICAGO DURING DECEMBER, 1976.
- 3. PLACE PRESS RELEASES IN LOCAL PRESS AND TRADE JOURNALS PUBLICIZING U.S. EXHIBITION.
- $\begin{array}{l} {\rm 4.~WORK~WITH~U.S.~TRAVEL~SERVICE~IN~ORGANIZING~FOREIGN} \\ {\rm TRAVEL~GROUP,~SELECTING~TRAVEL~AGENCY~TO~HANDLE~DETAILS.} \end{array}$
- 5. MAKE KEY MAN CALLS FOR PLASTICS PRODUCTION EQUIPMENT AT TRADE CENTER
- 6. PARTICIPATE IN USTC EXHIBITION, VISITING ALL EXHIBITORS AND ASSISTING WHEN NECESSARY.
- 7. MAN TRADE OPPORTUNITY BOOTH, MAKING AT LEAST 10 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.
- 8. DEVELOP AND PREPARE FINAL REPORT ON EXHIBITION.

BY MARCH 31:

1. FOLLOW UP ON GROUP TRAVEL PARTICIPANTS TO US EXHIBI-

TION IN CHICAGO AND REPORT.

2. DEVELOP AND PREPARE 10 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.

BY JUNE 30:

1. DEVELOP AND PREPARE 10 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.

PERSONNEL PERSON DAYS

FSO 75

FSL CLERICAL 75 FSL PROFESSIONAL 25

FINANCIAL U.S. DOLLARS

TRAVEL 250

REPRESENTATION 100

350

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CAMPAIGN WORKSHEET #10, FY77: PLANT MODERNIZATION EQUIPMENT AND SYSTEMS.

CAMPAIGN MANAGER: HAL RYERSON

CAMPAIGN STATEMENT: THIS IS RELATIVELY NEW TERRITORY, BUT OF HIGH PRIORITY AS MEXICO SHIFTS EVER MORE QUICKLY INTO AN INDUSTRIALIZED STATE. A MAJOR TRADE EXHIBITION IS SCHEDULED AT USTC DURING FISCAL 1977.

PROJECT OBJECTIVES:

PLANT MODERNIZATION EQUIPMENT & SYSTEMS EXHIBITION AT T.C.

50 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES

30 NEW U.S. FIRMS INTRODUCED TO MEXICAN MARKET

30 AGENCY AGREEMENTS SIGNED

 $20~{\rm NEWS}$ RELEASES PUBLISHED IN DAILY PRESS & TRADE

JOURNALS.

5 MILLION DOLLARS INCREMENTAL SALES

50 PARTICIPANTS IN GROUP TRAVEL PROGRAM TO U.S.

EXHIBITIONS.

BY DECEMBER 31:

(SINCE MAJOR EXHIBITION IS SCHEDULED FOR THE TRADE CENTER FOR OCTOBER 18-22, 1976, BASIC RESEARCH WILL BE PRESUMED TO HAVE BEEN COMPLETED, AND INITIAL CONTACTS MADE AMONG LOCAL TRADE CIRCLES).

1. DRAW UP LIST OF INDUSTRIAL CHAMBERS AND ASSOCIATIONS

OF IMPORTANCE TO EXHIBITION

2. WORK CLOSELY WITH ASSOCIATIONS AND CHAMBERS TO EXPLAIN PURPOSES OF TC EXHIBITION AND OBTAIN, WHEREVER POSSIBLE, PRESS RELEASES IN TRADE PUBLICATIONS.

- 3. WORK WITH TC AND WASHINGTON TO OBTAIN HIGH QUALITY SEMINAR TO ACCOMPANY EXHIBITIONS.
- 4. THROUGH HELP OF USIS MAKE PRESS RELEASES ANNOUNCING SHOW.
- 5. MAKE KEY MAN CALLS FOR USTC EXHIBITION.

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- 6. PARTICIPATE IN USTC EXHIBITION, VISITING ALL BOOTHS
 TO SAMPLE REACTION AND ASSISTING WHEN NECESSARY.
 7. MAN TRADE OPPORTUNITY POOTH, MAKING AT LEAST 20 TRAI
- 7. MAN TRADE OPPORTUNITY BOOTH, MAKING AT LEAST 20 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.
- 8. PREPARE REPORT ON EXHIBITION.

BY MARCH 31:

- 1. STUDY AND SELECT APPROPRIATE U.S. EXHIBITION FOR GROUP TRAVEL PROGRAM.
- 2. PUBLICIZE U.S. EXHIBITION VIA LOCAL PRESS AND TRADE JOURNALS, PLUS VISIT TO KEY FIRMS, ASSOCIATIONS AND CHAMBERS.
- 3. WORK WITH USTS IN ORGANIZING FOREIGN TRAVEL GROUP, SELECTING TRAVEL AGENCY TO HANDLE DETAILS.
- 4. PREPARE 10 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.

BY JUNE 30:

- 1. PREPARE 10 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.
- 2. FOLLOW UP ON GROUP TRAVEL EXPEDITION TO U.S. AND

REPORT.

BY SEPTEMBER 30:

1. PREPARE 10 TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.

PERSONNEL PERSON DAYS

FSO 50

FSL CLERICAL 25

FSL PROFESSIONAL 10

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FINANCIAL U.S. DOLLARS TRAVEL 500

REPRESENTATION 100 PRINTING AND MAILING 50

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